

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI  
EASTERN DIVISION**

**JOHN BARNHARDT, ET AL.**

**PLAINTIFFS**

**AND**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**PLAINTIFF-INTERVENOR**

**VS.**

**CIVIL ACTION NO. 4:65CV01300-HTW-LRA**

**MERIDIAN MUNICIPAL SEPARATE  
SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL.**

**DEFENDANTS**

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**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

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John S. Hooks, attorney with the firm of Adams and Reese LLP, enters his appearance as counsel of record for the Meridian Public School District.

Respectfully submitted, this 26th day of January 2017.

**MERIDIAN PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I do hereby certify that on this date, I filed electronically the foregoing with the Clerk of this Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of filing to all registered counsel of record.

Dated: January 26, 2017.

/s/ John S. Hooks